

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF GOSHEN UTILITIES,)	
INC. FOR AN INCREASE OF EXISTING NON-)	
RECURRING CHARGES AND TAP-ON CHARGES)	CASE NO. 94-380
FOR WATER SERVICE)	

O R D E R

On November 3, 1994, Goshen Utilities, Inc. ("Goshen") filed an application with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for authority to increase its re-connection fee from \$16.25 to \$20.00, its service charge on a returned check from \$11.00 to \$15.00, its collection run fee from \$16.25 to \$20.00, and its one-time connection charge to a new customer from \$13.00 to \$16.00. Goshen also proposed to increase its tap-on charge for 5/8" x 3/4" meter from \$425 to \$500, and its 1" tap-on charge from \$520 to \$600.

On October 18, 1994, Goshen was notified of deficiencies in its original filing by letter from the Commission's Executive Director's office. On October 25, 1994, Goshen, by letter, requested permission to deviate from regulations concerning public notice. Treating this letter as a motion, the Commission granted Goshen's request to deviate from 807 KAR 5:011, Sections 8(2) and 8(3)(c), regarding public notice by Order dated November 3, 1994. Goshen's application was considered filed on this date.

Goshen provided adequate cost justification for each of the non-recurring charges proposed in the application. Increased costs

in materials and labor were cited in the application as the basis for the increases.

After reviewing the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. The proposed charges are equal to the expenses incurred to provide the associated services.

2. The charges set forth in the Appendix A to this Order, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

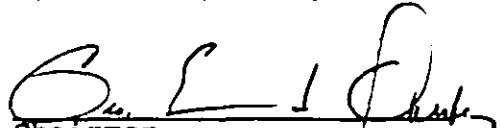
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

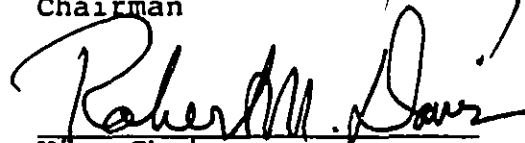
1. The charges in the Appendix are approved for services rendered on and after the date of this Order.

2. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, Goshen shall file its revised tariff sheets setting out the charges approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 6th day of December, 1994.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 94-380 DATED DECEMBER 6, 1994.

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Goshen Utilities, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Re-connection fee	\$20.00
Service charge on returned checks	\$15.00
Collection run	\$20.00
One-time connection charge to new customer	\$16.00
<u>Tap-on charge for water service</u>	
5/8" x 3/4" meter	\$500.00
1" meter	\$600.00
above 1"	at cost